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FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SREF, VS

SUBJ: VIETNAMESE REFUGEES FROM DANAG

REF: A) STATE 018837 B) BANGKOK 1589

1. AS PER SHEPLEY/LOWMAN TELECON OF JANUARY 25, 1976, EMBASSY IS MOST APPRECIATIVE OF DEPARTMENT'S EFFORTS TO ASSIST IN ARRANGING SOLUTION TO SUBJECT REFUGEE SITUATION. SINCE DISPATCH OF REFTEL B, UNHCR HAS SUCCEEDED IN TAKING CUSTODY OF DANANG REFUGEES WITHOUT REQUIRING U.S. GUARANTEE OF ELIGIBILITY FOR PAROLE INTO THE U.S. REFUGEES ARE NOW IN THAI IMMIGRATION JAIL AND UNHCR IS PREPARED TO ARRANGE FOR MORE PERMANENT SOLUTION TO THEIR PROBLEM IN THE EVENT THAT NONE OF THE REFUGEES MEET ESTABLISHED PAROLE CRITERIA.

2. IT IS BELIEVED THAT DEPARTMENT EFFORTS TO INTERCEDE WITH GENEVA ON THIS ISSUE TOGETHER WITH EFFORTS AT THIS LOCATION HAD SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON UNHCR DECISION TO INTERCEDE DIRECTLY IN THIS MATTER. NOW THAT PRECEDENT HAS BEEN SET, EMBASSY WILL CONTINUE TO ENCOURAGE UNHCR TO ASSUME PRIMARY ROLE IN RESOLUTION OF SIMILAR CASES

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